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LADIES' LISLE THREAD STOCKINGS, 23c pair

Your choice of the Gauze Lisle or the Drop Stitch in Black, Tan, Slate and White.

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Kaye's Double Tipped Silk Gloves... 49c pair
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Black Embroidered Ruffle Petticoats... 98c each
Forty new styles Spring Shirt Waists... 98c each
See the pretty new Dutch Collar... 23c each
Children's Lisle Thread Stockings, Black or Tan... 23c pair

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THE THEATRES

POLI'S

Carter DeHaven and Flora Parker, the headliners at Poli's this week, are attracting widespread attention. The act is probably the most finished production given to Poli's patrons this season.

Among the topnotchers on this week's bill are: Reynolds and Donegan, champion roller skaters of the world; Johnny Busch, the great boy actor; Jimmy, the great boy actor; and the hoop rollers, Jennings and Benfrew, the black-face comedians who write their own songs; Carter, Waters & Co., in an original sketch, entitled "Excess Baggage"; Myers and Rosa, "The Cowboy and the Girl," sensational lariat throwers; and the new motion pictures on the Electrophone.

"Charmion," the world's most perfect woman, will headline the bill at Poli's next week. Charmion will be the sensation of the season. She is the most perfectly developed woman in the world, combining a grace of carriage and beauty of figure unsurpassed.

The supporting bill next week will include: Elsie Harvey and her boys; the Olivetti Troubadours, Spanish songsters; Mullin, Churnin and Mullin, the hoop rollers; Jennings and Benfrew, the black-face comedians who write their own songs; Carter, Waters & Co., in an original sketch, entitled "Excess Baggage"; Myers and Rosa, "The Cowboy and the Girl," sensational lariat throwers; and the new motion pictures on the Electrophone.

SMITH'S

This evening, an exceptionally fine program of animated picture plays and illustrated songs will be presented, and everyone can find ample enjoyment in attending this entertainment. The songs which will be rendered this evening are "Golden Arrow" and "May I Have a Little More of Your Love," by the great tenor, Harry Barron, who has been singing his "Only Husband, But Forgive Me" for years. Both are very handsomely illustrated, and will be sung in excellent manner. You can't find a more agreeable spot in which to spend the evening than at Smith's, for you will witness a most enjoyable entertainment, and the cost is so absurdly small that you will never miss it.

Just as twenty-two years ago a preceding generation of playgoers rejoiced in the rustic simplicity and unaffected goodness of the characters of the "Old Homestead," and laughed at their homely ways and rough humor, so this, the twenty-third season of the play, finds a new generation of theatre-goers who mingle laughter with tears as they listen to the humor and pathos of dear old Uncle Josh. Doubtless thousands of present-day playgoers date back their earliest recollections of the theatre to a performance of "The Old Homestead," and surely for the youth of the country no better introduction could be asked than this homely picture of the simple virtues and diversions of farm life in New England. "The Old Homestead" will be the attraction for to-morrow, with a special bargain matinee.

The bill of pictures and songs which has been provided for Monday afternoon and evening will be found especially enjoyable, for they will be of the best class which it is possible to obtain, and which have not before been shown in this city. The pictures, at this time of the season, when dramatic productions are extremely difficult to procure, furnish a most agreeable form of amusement, and are always popular. The bill for Monday afternoon and evening will be entirely new, and everyone will find much to admire and enjoy in it.

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10c Untrimmed Hats... 25c
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Children's 95c White Leghorn Hats... 62c
Children's \$2.00 Trimmed Outing Hats... 98c
Children's \$2.50 Trimmed Outing Hats... \$1.25
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GEN. L. N. VAN KUREN RETURNS TO BRIDGEPORT

Former Manager of Colonial Trust Company of Waterbury Takes Old Lyon Homestead.

After an absence of nine years Gen. Louis N. Van Keuren, formerly adjutant general of the state militia has returned to this city to reside. He has taken the Lyon homestead on Golden Hill street at the head of Broad street and will probably be located in this city permanently. He is engaged in business in New York, having severed his connection with the Colonial Trust Co. of Waterbury. Prior to going to Waterbury the General was the manager of the local bank of E. H. Dillon & Co. The Waterbury American in an editorial last night said:

"In returning to his old home in Bridgeport, Gen. Louis N. Van Keuren takes with him sincere regrets at his leaving and best wishes for his future from a large circle of business associates. The General has been a resident of residence in Waterbury. Gen. Van Keuren made a notable record for ability and industry in building up the Colonial Trust Company, now one of the largest trust companies in the state, a record fittingly and unanimously recognized in the resolutions of the board of directors, passed at the time when his resignation as treasurer was accepted. Gen. Van Keuren's idea of the obligations of citizenship did not stop with the successful development of his business. He served with fidelity and credit on Mayor Elton's Board of Public Safety; he pushed the claims of the Y. M. C. A. on the afternoon of his last night when H. T. E. Byrnes of the New Haven spoke on the subject. During the afternoon, he, in company with Mayor Fletcher visited the Fox Point and India Point properties on the water front. The company intends to build slips and provide a distributing point for southern and central New England. At the dinner Mr. Byrnes attended he made reference to a bill now before the Assembly to allow an increase of \$1,000,000 in the stock of the Providence, Warren & Bristol Railroad. The railroad is a small company that was absorbed by the New Haven Road about 10 years ago. It has double tracks from this city to Warren, a single track from Warren to Bristol on one spur and a single track from Warren to Fall River on another spur. Mr. Byrnes said that the company intended to lay double tracks to Fall River, to build a tunnel under the hill at Fall River, making a connecting line through the tunnel, with Cape Cod. This will divert much of the traffic that goes through Boston by way of New Bedford and will give Cape Cod direct connection with New York through Fall River. The work will be begun as soon as the plans and capital can be arranged.

FIRE DEPARTMENT BUSY

Summoned to Goodwin Street Today—Flare-up at Crane Co.'s Plant.

A spark from a match set fire to a kitchen curtain in the home of Frank Niksa, 83 Goodwin street at 9:30 this morning. The fire department was summoned by an alarm from box 651 at Hamilton and Hallett streets. The damage was slight and there was little need of calling out the department. The employees of the Crane Co., at the Main street plant were given a little fire scare yesterday afternoon, shortly before 4 o'clock. Some benzine which is used extensively in the inspection room flashed and set fire to the wood work in the building. The fire looked dangerous for a few minutes but the heat set the sprinkler system in operation and that with the contents of six hand chemicals extinguished the fire. The management of the concern is much annoyed yesterday to the effect that the fire was started by a match in the hands of an employee about to light a cigarette. An investigation leads to the conclusion that a match must have fallen from the coat pocket of a workman kept in a locker over one of the benches. A workman states that he saw a flash on the bench where he was moving the coat pocket of a workman. The room where the fire started had fire proof walls and in addition to the sprinkler system and the hand extinguishers located about every precaution is taken against fire. The fire department was called to the factory as a result of an alarm from box 17, but there was nothing for the firemen to do. Last night the crew of the auto-chemical engine was called to 183 Gregory street to extinguish a chimney fire and later in the evening it was called to 42 Middle street where the tar tanks of a gang of roofers had taken fire at the rear of the building occupied by the Hammond Beef Co.

POINTS OF INTEREST.

The Word "Schlitz" is known to those who can distinguish good beer as the name of the very best. On sale at all first class hotels or delivered to your door for 25c per case of 12 dozen. Schlitz export case of 2 dozen \$1.50. We also bottle Smith's Philadelphia Ale stockied in the city. Liebmans' Brooklyn Lager or Lenox Ale \$1.00 per case. Full yastoked package Store, Gus Brock and Son, 570 Main St. Tele. 1389.

Facts. A Turkish bath removes the old dead skin so as to give the pores a chance to do their duty. The Turkish Bath is a pleasant, beneficial, rational thing and if the people in general only knew the good it derived from one of these baths the city would have to have one of its own to accommodate the public. There is one of the finest Turkish Baths in this country at the Hotel Atlas, Fairbank street near Broad St., which is always open.

Saturday, May 1st, The Union Pacific Tea Co., will give absolutely free to all purchasers their choice of large blue, green, orange, pans, cups and saucers, Japanese plates, etc. Remember these articles are given absolutely free in addition to the regular checks. Every purchaser of 25c worth or more is entitled to their choice of the above articles. If you are not already one of our customers then give us your trial order Saturday, let us prove to you that we can save you money, and not only that but we will give tea and coffee that can't be equalled in Bridgeport. Note these prices, they are not special for Saturday only, but for every day in the month. Magnolia Milk 9c. Challenge Milk 8c. Peerless Cream 8c. choicest full Head Rice, a regular 10c quality for 7c. Confectionery Sugar 2 lbs. for 11c. Cube or Powdered Sugar 19 lbs. for \$1.00. Special Mocha and Java Coffee, fresh from the roaster 25c. Choice Formosa Oolong, Ceylon, Mixed or English Breakfast Teas at 35c lb. Extra-tracts in twenty different flavors regular 25c bottles for 20c. Do not fail to visit our store Saturday and convince yourself of the money you can save by trading at the stores of The Tea and Coffee Co., 1053 Main St. and 701 East Main St. Telephone and Free delivery to all parts of the City.

ARMENIANS TO MEET

SATURDAY EVENING. The Armenians of Bridgeport will hold a meeting in the parlor of the Park Street Congregational church, Saturday evening at 7:30, for the purpose of raising money for the immediate relief of the victims of Turkish atrocities in the vilayet of Adana. All the Armenians and their sympathizers are cordially invited to attend.

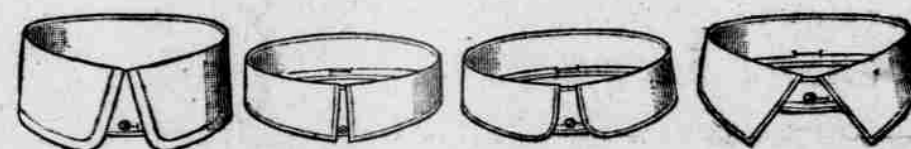
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WOMEN'S SUITS

We shall place on sale tomorrow a complete assortment of Suits, Dresses and Waists, unequalled in style, tailoring and materials at prices that will make this Anniversary Sale famous.

AT \$15.00—Semi-fitted Hipless Model, in a fine grade of storm serge, colors black, navy, reseda and gray, 36 inch length coat, self color bengaline collar, new sleeve effect, lined with peau-de-cygne; new nine-gored flare skirt, panel front, trimmed with jet buttons to match coat.

Tailored Suits at \$18.50—of all-wool material in stripes and plain colors. Coat is made one-button down, away, shawl collar and cuff trimmed with satin and buttons. Skirt made with pointed panels on each side of front with buttons.

AT \$18.50—Tailored Suit of imported Serge and Chiffon Panama, made in a strictly plain tailored suit, notched collar with Bengaline Silk Skirt gored flare with panel front, trimmed with buttons. All the latest shades.

AT \$18.75—Satin Striped Panama and Worsted Suits—new models of fine French Serge, Striped Panama and Worsted, in all the new shades and select patterns, finely tailored and finished, taffeta or peau-de-cygne lining, hipless and cutaway coat effects, elegantly trimmed with braid, bengaline and buttons. Entirely new skirt effects, trimmed to match coat.

AT \$20.00—Tailored Suit of imported Prunella Cloth, coat semi-fitted, peau-de-cygne lined, open on side, sleeves trimmed with handsome jet buttons. Skirt made with Empire bodice effect and trimmed with jet buttons to match coat. In all the new spring shades.

AT \$25.00—French Serge Suits, in a very fine quality French Serge, 36-inch hipless coat, peau-de-cygne shawl collar and turnover cuffs, lined with peau-de-cygne, double box plaited panel gored skirt, in navy, black and French blue.

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TOILET DEPT.

20 Mule Team Borax, 1-2 lb. Cans 1 lb. 10c.
Gondola Floating Bath Soap, 4c a cake each.
6 ounce bottle Violet Water, 19c bottle.

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Waists of sheer lawn, two wide panels of embroidery with clusters of pin tucks, button front, \$1.39.
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NOVELTY DEPT

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